Amendments to the Specification:

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FIG. 5 a flow chart illustrates a detailed process for communication with a redundant system

according to an embodiment of the present invention.

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[0065] FIG. 5 illustrates a flow chart diagram of the process for communication with a redundant

system according to an embodiment of the present invention. The process includes allocating

each serial line with a physical identifier 41, allocating each group of serial lines with a logical

identifier 42, storing the associations between logical identifier and physical identifier in a

correspondence table 43, communicating with the management means to determine the active

serial lines 44, associating the physical identifier with each logical identifier 45, transmitting the

message of an application to the redundant system 46, substituting each logical identifier with

the associated physical identifier 47, transmitting the message of the redundant system 48,

substituting each physical identifier with the associated logical identifier 49.

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